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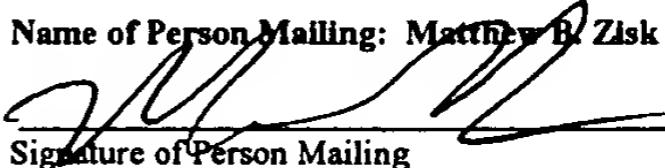
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 29, 2002, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 12-18 without prejudice.

Please amend Claims 3-9 and 11 as follows:

X C 1

B 1

- ~~3. (amended) A compound as claimed in claim 1 wherein the 6-azauracil moiety is in the para position relative to the carbon atom bearing the -X-R², R³ and R⁴ substituents.~~
- ~~4. (amended) A compound as claimed in claim 1 wherein X is a direct bond, at least one of R³ and R⁴ is hydrogen, and R² is 3-pyridinyl optionally substituted in the 6 position with an optionally substituted alkyl or acyl group are excluded.~~
- ~~5. (amended) A compound as claimed in claim 1 wherein the 6-azauracil moiety is in the para position relative to the carbon atom bearing the -X-R², R³ and R⁴ substituents.~~